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| INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT <i>(Use several sheets if necessary)</i> | | FIRST NAMED INVENTOR Maki HANASATO | |
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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| ES AG 6-207535 | 07/26/94 | Japan | YES X NO X | |
| ES AH 8-218904 | 08/27/96 | Japan | YES X NO X | |
| ES AI 63-80039 | 04/11/88 | Japan | YES X NO X | |
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OTHER REFERENCES (INCLUDING AUTHOR, TITLE, DATE, PERTINENT PAGES, ETC.)

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